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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of)

UEOKA et al.)

Art Unit 2154

Application Number: 09/883,967)

Examiner

Vu, Viet Duy

Filed: June 20, 2001)

For: SYSTEM MANAGEMENT INFORMATION)
PROCESSING METHOD FOR USE WITH A)
PLURALITY OF OPERATING SYSTEMS HAVING)
DIFFERENT MESSAGE FORMATS (AS AMENDED))

Attorney Docket No. ASAM.0010)

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	13	18	(Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	3	1	(Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)			PAID	+ \$360	0
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				TOTAL	0.00

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[x] Petition for 3 months Extension-of-Time

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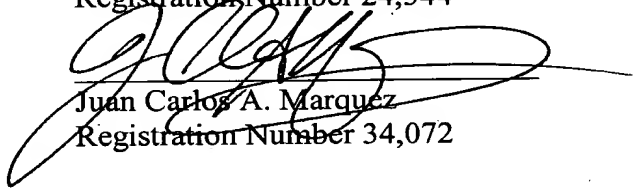
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